## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE ANNUAL COST RECOVERY FILING FOR DEMAND SIDE MANAGEMENT BY THE UNION	)	CASE NO.
	)	
LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER COMPANY	)	2005-00402

## <u>O R D E R</u>

On September 30, 2005, The Union Light, Heat and Power Company ("ULH&P") filed an application for approval to continue its existing Demand Side Management ("DSM") programs and implement revised DSM tariff riders. ULH&P requested approval to implement the revised tariff riders effective with its first billing cycle of January 2006, which falls on January 3, 2006.

On November 21, 2005, ULH&P amended its application to request approval of a pilot Home Energy Assistance ("HEA") program. On December 6, 2005, the Office of the Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Kentucky ("AG") filed a motion to intervene herein, which was granted on December 12, 2005. On December 22, 2005, ULH&P filed an addendum to its application in which it proposed a new DSM program, a pilot Personalized Energy Report program. An informal conference was held December 22, 2005, at which the parties and Commission Staff discussed issues related to the two new proposals filed by ULH&P since the filing of its September 30, 2005 application.

Given that ULH&P and the AG planned on conducting further discussion on the HEA program (and possibly the Personalized Energy Report program) subsequent to the December 22, 2005 informal conference, a final decision on ULH&P's application

cannot be rendered prior to the proposed January 3, 2006 effective date of the revised

tariff riders. Recognizing the need for continuity in the administration of ULH&P's DSM

programs, the Commission will, with this Order, authorize the continuation of the current

DSM programs and DSM tariff riders pending further Orders issued in this proceeding.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that ULH&P's existing DSM programs and DSM

tariff riders shall continue in effect pending the Commission's issuance of further Orders

in this proceeding.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January, 2006.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director